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Under Small Entity Status

(New Nonprovisional Applications Under 37 CFR § 1.53(b))

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is the patent application of David Vanker and Thaddeus O. MacKrell entitled Method and System for Transferring Information Between Multiple Buyers and Multiple Sellers, for a:

Original Patent Application.

Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned):
 Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) Regular Filing of
 Provisional Application No. 60/262,184 filed on January 17, 2001, and also of
Provisional Application No. 60/262,182 filed on January 17, 2001.

A statement claiming priority under 35 USC § 120 is enclosed.

Applicants claim small entity status.

Enclosed are:

Specification; 41 total pages (including title page) Drawing(s); 9 total sheets.

Oath or Declaration:
 A Newly Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney:
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A Copy from a Prior Application for Continuation/Divisional (37 CFR § 1.63(d)).
 Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated herein by reference.

Signed Statement Deleting Inventor(s) Named in the Prior Application. (37 CFR § 1.63(d)(2)).

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Preliminary Amendment. Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, art.

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Statement(s) of Status as a Small Entity Filed in Prior Application, Status Still Proper and Desired.

Other: _____

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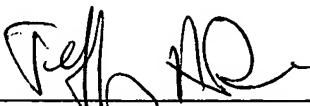
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